SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. Identification

Product identifier: USG Heradesign™ Wood Wool Acoustic Panels (Direct Attach and Lay-in)

Other means of identification:
- SDS number: 43601003004
- Additional Products: USG Heradesign™ 1, Heradesign™ 2, Heradesign™ 3, Heradesign™ Micro, Heradesign™ Plano

Recommended use: Interior use.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information:
- United States Gypsum Company
- 550 West Adams Street, Chicago, Illinois 60661-3637
- Telephone: 1-800-874-4968
- Website: www.usg.com
- Emergency phone number: 1-800-507-8899

2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards: Not classified.

Health hazards: Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Category 2

OSHA defined hazards: Not classified.

Label elements:
- Signal word: Warning
- Hazard statement: Causes serious eye irritation.
- Precautionary statement:
  - Prevention: Wash thoroughly after handling. Wear eye protection/face protection.
  - Response: If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
  - Storage: Store away from incompatible materials.
  - Disposal: Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC): None known.

Supplemental information: None.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures:

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Composition comments: All concentrations are in percent by weight.
4. First-aid measures

Inhalation: Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Skin contact: Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Eye contact: Do not rub eyes. Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

General information

If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media: Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding materials.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: None known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical: Not a fire hazard.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters: Selection of respiratory protection for firefighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace. Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting equipment/instructions: Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

Specific methods:

General fire hazards: No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

6. Accidental release measures

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up: Vacuum up the spilled material. Vacuums used for this purpose should be equipped with HEPA filters. Containers must be labeled. Collect in approved containers and seal securely. For waste disposal, see Section 13 of the SDS.

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits. See Section 8 of the SDS for Personal Protective Equipment.

Environmental precautions: Avoid discharge to drains, sewers, and other water systems.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling: Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Avoid contact with eyes. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities: Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place. Avoid contact with water and moisture. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

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US. OSHA Table Z-3 (29 CFR 1910.1000)

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US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values

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US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards

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Biological limit values

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Appropriate engineering controls

If material is ground, cut, or used in any operation which may generate dusts, use appropriate local exhaust ventilation to keep exposures below the recommended exposure limits. Provide eyewash station.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Wear approved safety goggles.

Skin protection

Hand protection

Wear protective gloves.

Skin protection

Other

Normal work clothing (long sleeved shirts and long pants) is recommended.

Respiratory protection

If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator if there is a risk of exposure to dust/fume at levels exceeding the exposure limits.

Thermal hazards

None.

General hygiene considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical state: Solid.

Form: Panel.

Color: White.

Odor: Low to no odor.
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**10. Stability and reactivity**

- **Reactivity**: The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
- **Chemical stability**: Material is stable under normal conditions.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions**: No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
- **Conditions to avoid**: Contact with incompatible materials.
- **Incompatible materials**: Strong oxidizing agents.
- **Hazardous decomposition products**: No hazardous decomposition products are known.

**11. Toxicological information**

**Information on likely routes of exposure**

- **Inhalation**: Dust may irritate respiratory system. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.
- **Skin contact**: Dust or powder may irritate the skin.
- **Eye contact**: Causes serious eye irritation.
- **Ingestion**: Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

**Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics**

- **Severe eye irritation. Symptoms may include stinging, tearing, redness, swelling, and blurred vision. Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes.**

**Information on toxicological effects**

- **Acute toxicity**: Not expected to be acutely toxic.
- **Skin corrosion/irritation**: Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation
Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization
Respiratory sensitization
Not a respiratory sensitizer.

Skin sensitization
This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

Germ cell mutagenicity
No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity
Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity
Iron oxide (CAS 1309-37-1) Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

NTP Report on Carcinogens
Not listed.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)
Not listed.

Reproductive toxicity
This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
Not classified.

Aspiration hazard
Not an aspiration hazard.

Chronic effects
Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

12. Ecological information
Ecotoxicity
The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Persistence and degradability
No data is available on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potential
Bioaccumulation is not expected.

Mobility in soil
No data available.

Other adverse effects
None known.

13. Disposal considerations
Disposal instructions
Dispose in accordance with applicable federal, state, and local regulations. Recycle responsibly.

Local disposal regulations
Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Hazardous waste code
The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused products
Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging
Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

14. Transport information
DOT
Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA
Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG
Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code
Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information
US federal regulations
This product is a “Hazardous Chemical” as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)
Not regulated.
CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)  
Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification  
Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1053)  
Not listed.

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)  
All components of the mixture on the TSCA 8(b) inventory are designated “active”.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)  
SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance  
Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical  
 Classified hazard categories  
Serious eye damage or eye irritation

SARA 313 (TRI reporting)  
Not regulated.

Other federal regulations  
Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List  
Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)  
Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)  
Not regulated.

US state regulations  
US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List  
Calcium oxide (CAS 1305-78-8)  
Iron oxide (CAS 1309-37-1)  
Magnesium carbonate (CAS 546-93-0)  
Magnesium oxide (CAS 1309-48-4)

US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act  
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US. Pennsylvania Worker and Community Right-to-Know Law  
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US. Rhode Island RTK  
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California Proposition 65  
California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens or reproductive toxins. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

US. California. Candidate Chemicals List. Safer Consumer Products Regulations (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 22, 69502.3, subd. (a))  
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International Inventories  
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*A “Yes” indicates this product complies with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s). A “No” indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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**NFPA ratings**

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